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8th appointed the same listers as were employed to collect the lists and make up the rate due to the Rev. Mr. Potter

9th Chose Capt. Burton & Lieut Slafter Collectors & ordered their houses to be the Stores to deposit said provisions

At a Town meeting legally warned to be holden at the meeting house in Norwich Feby 1st. 1781 —

1st Reconsidered a vote passed on the 21st. day of December last, for the purpose of raising a tax of two pence on the pound instead thereof. 6th Voted to raise a tax of six pence per pound stated on Spanish milled Dollars at six shillings each for the purpose of Laying up a Store of provisions in Town as mentioned in the before cited vote of Decr. last

7th Chose Lieut. Slafter, Capt. Buston, Lieut. Smalley, Capt. Hatch and Abel Curtis Listers & 8th chose Capt. Buston, Lieut Wilder & Lieut. Slafter collectors for the aforesaid purpose.

9th whereas there are sundry accounts due to several persons from the Town for service &c. done by them for said Town for the final settlement thereof Chose Lieut. Hopson Capt. Rush & Mr. John Wright Committee to receive and examine all such accounts & Receages and make a true report of the State of said accounts &c. to the next Town Meeting

At a legal Town meeting holden at the meeting house in Norwich March 13th 1781

18th Voted that the collectors shall be required and impowered to collect the provision rate agreable the laws & regulations of the State for that purpose which was voted at a Town meeting on the first of Febuary. last being six pence on the pound.

At a legal Town meeting holden at the meeting house in Norwich May 2d. 1781. 1st Chose Genl Olcott Moderator.

2d Whereas the last anuel Town meeting was adjourned to the 2d Tuesday of May instant, to hear the report of the committee appointed Feby. 1st last past to examine into the state of accounts and Charges against the town, for services heretofore done— the said committee being ready to make their report this day do it in the words following— For services as in record £92 11 8 Lawful money & going

after arms £ 13..17.. 3.

At a town meeting holden at Norwich June 6th. 1781
1st chose Capt. Timothy Bush moderator. 2d. Chose Abel Wilder Clerk for said meeting 3d. Voted that the selectmen be directed to make out a rate bill for the purpose of collecting the remainder of the Provision the Town is called upon to raise 4. Chose Capt. Bush collectors to assist the constable in collecting the above said provisions 5th. Voted to disolve the meeting.

At a Town Meeting legally warned & holden at the meeting house for the purpose herein after specified on the 27th Sept. 1781
1st Chose Genl. Olcott Moderator
2d. Voted to Capt. Bush Thirty shillings for his trouble in returning the Pay rolls for services done as referred to in the last town meeting receiving money thereon
3d voted that he receive the sum of £ 6.. 7.. 5.. being the full sum due in cash to balance his pay rolls
4th. Voted & agreed that the money remaining in Capt. Bush's hands including what is yet due from the Collector, be returned in a just proportion according to the assessment on which said money was raised to the persons who have paid their rates on account of the same being in all £ 52.. 16.. 9.

+ A town meeting having been legally warned was holden at the meeting House & by adjournment the same day at the house of Mr. Roswell Morgan for the following purpose
Novm. 20th. 1781.
1st Chose Nath.l Brown Esq. Moderator
Whereas the Genl Assembly of this State have ordered a Provision Rate for the year ensuing, & likewise ordered the several Towns, to provide Salt &c. to secure said provisions, Voted that the addition of 28 bushels of wheat be made to the provision rate for the year ensuing for the purpose of procuring Salt to secure the meat ordered to be raised as aforesaid.

At a Town meeting legally warned and holden at the meeting house in Norwich on the 18th March 1782
12— The following accounts were then exhibited as charges against the

Town (viz). To Elisha Burton Dr. to six flour barrels & 1 meat barrel £1.. 4.. 0
To Daniel Waterman jr. Dr. To John Slafter Dr to 3 barrels flour. £.. 0.. 10.. 6.
To Hezekiah Johnson Dr to 1 barrel for do £ 0.. 4.. 0 To Nath! Brown Dr. to
1 barrel for do £ 0.. 3.. 0

18 Whereupon voted that the foregoing accounts be paied — and that a Tax of Two pence on the pound on the Grand levy of the Town as taken for the year 1781 be laid to defray the foregoing & other necessary Town charges

At a legal meeting of the freemen and other inhabitants of the town of Norwich on Wednesday the tenth day of April one thousand seven hundred and eighty two.

Major Thomas Murdock being Chosen Moderator

In Meeting the same day an act of the Legislature of this State passed in February Last for the purpose of raising 300 able bodied men, was read, & considerably debated upon. it being thought by many to be unreasonable & in some respects unconstitutional. The question was put 2? Whether this Town will raise men agreeable to said act. Voted in the negative. 3? Voted nevertheless that seven men be raised by the town for the defence of the frontiers the present season

At a legall adjourned meeting of the Inhabitants of the Town of Norwich, holden at the meeting house on the 5th August 1780 & by adjournment at house of Genl. Olcott.

2? Whereas the Inhabitants of this town voted on the tenth day of April last, to raise seven men for the frontiers the present season. Therefore voted that said men shall receive from the town for their services ten bushels of wheat pr. month, they furnishing themselves with arms & other necessary accoutrements & that they continue in service until the fifteenth day of Decem: next unless sooner discharged, & that they shall receive their pay for said service at the expiration of said term

3? Voted that a rate be made out on the list for the present year 1782, to defray the expences of raising said men.

4th. Voted that Lieut. Roswell Morgan be desired to enlist said men as soon as possible on the credit of the town & that their pay shall begin at the time of their enlistment & shall be entitled to ten bushels of wheat pr. month while they are in services as aforesaid.

5th. Voted, that the Clerke be desired to notify Lieut Morgan of these votes, and that the Selectmen be desired to make out a rate bill herefore and put the same into the hands of the Collector as soon as may be.

At a Town meeting legally warneed and holden at the meeting house in Norwich September 26th 1782.

1st Whereas the Town of Norwich did vote in April last to raise seven hundred men for the defence of the frontiers for the present season, and at a meeting on the 22d of July did vote to ~~request~~ desire Lieut. Roswell Morgan to enlist said men on the credit of said Town to be holden till the fifteenth of Decr next unless sooner recalled and whereas Lieut. Morgan has enlisted said men who appear to us that said men are not in useful service— Voted that said men be immediately recalled and discharged— And that Lieut Morgan be served with a copy of thes doings—

Meeting then dissolved

At a town meeting legally warneed & holden at the meeting house in Norwich Novr 19th 1782

Major Murdock chosen Moderator.

4th voted that John Sargeant be entitled to receive out of the Town Treasury his pay as soldier in this Towns service from the time he enlisted, untill the time of the last town meeting, and the Selectmen are directed to give him an order on the Treasurer accordingly. And that the consideration of his other wages & the Pay Rolls laid by Capt. Seely be postponed untill the Next Town Meeting

Annual Town Meeting March 30th. 1785.

1st. Chose Genl. Peter Olcott Moderator.

15th. Voted to raise Thirty five pounds States money by a tax upon the Polls and rateable estates of the Inhabitants on the Grand list of said Norwich to pay those Soldiers who served in Capt. Seely's Company at Strafford in the campaign 1782

16th. Voted and chose Hezekiah Goodrich Collector, to collect the above Tax.

Notice is hereby given to the Town of Norwich that are legal voters, that there will be a Town meeting attended at the meeting